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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir,

This 29 page communication and appendix is responsive to a Notice to Comply mailed April 30, 2007. The Office Action has been carefully considered, and the Applicants have the following comments:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of the Applicants' Reply.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 23 of the Applicants' Reply and are reflected in the listing of claims.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 26 of the Applicants' Reply.

Remarks begin on page 27 of the Applicants' Reply.

Appendix was previously submitted with February 1, 2007 Applicants' Reply and is not included in the present Notice to Comply